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Dear Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, Applicants request entry of the following amendments to the above-captioned application enclosed herewith.

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title to --INTERIOR MIRROR ASSEMBLY FOR A VEHICLE INCORPORATING A SOLID-STATE LIGHT SOURCE--

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

- Page 1, between lines 1 and 2, please insert:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This is a continuation of co-pending application Serial No. 09/626,608, filed July 27, 2000, by Brent J. Bos, Stephen J. Forbes and Roger L. Veldman, entitled VEHICLE INSTRUMENTATION/CONSOLE LIGHTING, which is a continuation of Serial No. 09/287,926, filed April 7, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,139,172, which is a continuation of Serial No. 08/937,480, filed September 25, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 5,938,321, which is a continuation of application Serial No. 08/367,844, filed December 30, 1994, now United States Patent No. 5,671,996, the disclosures of which are hereby incorporated by reference herein.--

Page 12, lines 1-20, please delete the entire paragraph and substitute the following paragraph therefor: